

CHAPTER 225—S. F. No. 376

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes, 1927, Section 3073, relating to physical education in public schools.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1: **Physical education in public schools.**—That Section 3073, Mason's Minnesota Statutes, 1927 be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"3073. There *shall* be established and provided in all the public schools of this state, physical and health education, training and instruction of pupils of both sexes and every pupil attending any such school, in so far as he or she is physically fit and able to do so, shall take the course or courses therein as provided by this act. Suitable modified courses shall be provided for students physically or mentally unable or unfit to take the course or courses prescribed for normal pupils. Provided that nothing in this act shall be held or construed to require any pupil to undergo a physical or medical examination or treatment if the parent or legal guardian of the person of such such pupil shall in writing notify the teacher or principal or other person in charge of such pupil that he objects to such physical or medical examination or treatment; *provided that high school students in the junior and senior years need not take said course unless required by the local school authorities.*

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1931.

CHAPTER 226—S. F. No. 540

An act to amend Section 8588, General Statutes 1923 relating to venue in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **Action—how and where brought—venue.**—That Section 8588, General Statutes 1923, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"8588. An action for divorce or *separate maintenance* may be brought by a wife in her own name, and all actions for divorce shall be commenced by summons and complaint in the county where the plaintiff resides, as hereinafter provided, subject to the power of the court to change the place of trial by consent of parties, or when it shall appear that an impartial trial cannot be had in the county where the action is pending, or that the convenience of witnesses and ends of justice would be promoted by the change.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 20, 1931.

CHAPTER 227—S. F. No. 603

An act to authorize school districts to accept lands or interests therein within the state on account of certain claims and judgments against sureties on bonds of their depositories; to provide for the holding of said lands in lieu of said funds; for the prompt disposition of said lands, and for their exemption from taxation while so held.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. School boards may accept property in settlement of claims.—Whenever any school district in this state now has or asserts any claim or judgment against any sureties on the bonds of any depository of its funds for the failure of any such depository to account for or pay over any such funds, and the school board or other governing body of said district shall determine that said claim or judgment or some part thereof is not collectible in cash, then any such school board or governing body may by resolution determine to accept and receive, in complete or partial satisfaction or settlement of any such claim or judgment, lands or interests therein within this State, and may acquire the same for and in the name of such district either by deed or deeds of conveyance from the owners, or as purchaser at execution sale or sales under any such judgment.